

REMARKS

Claim 9 has been rewritten as an independent claim. In the Office Action dated June 21, 2006, the Office indicated that claim 9 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Accordingly, no new search or examination would be required. No new matter has been added.

A favorable decision is solicited. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,



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